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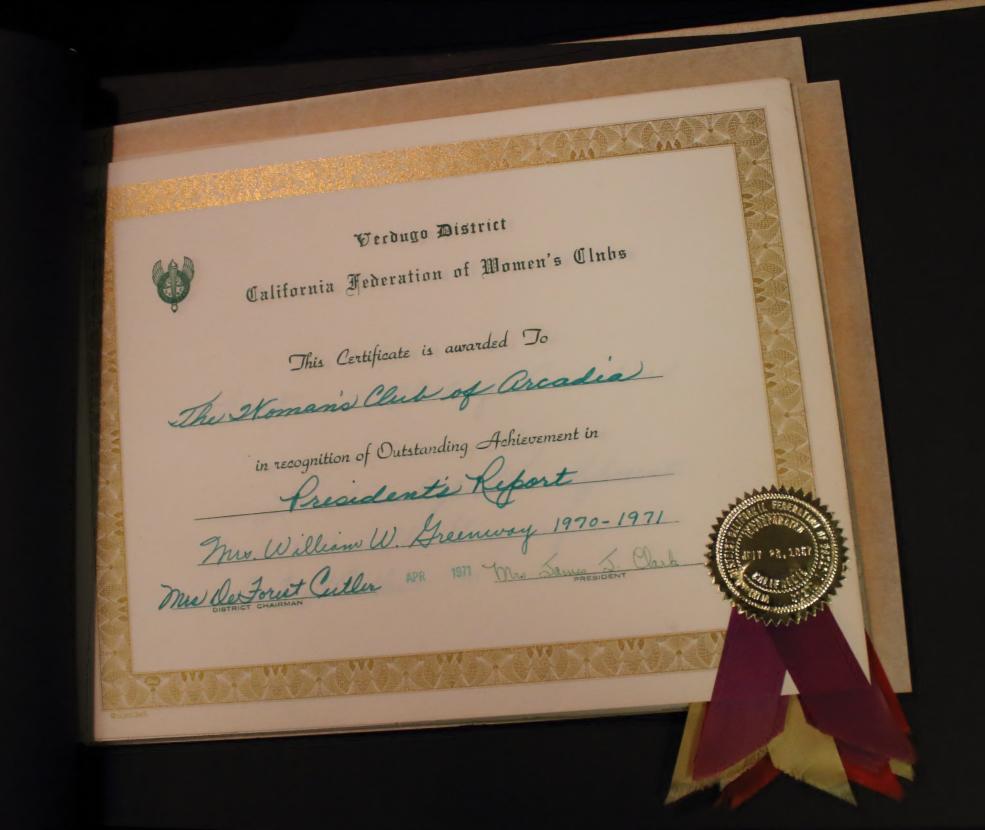
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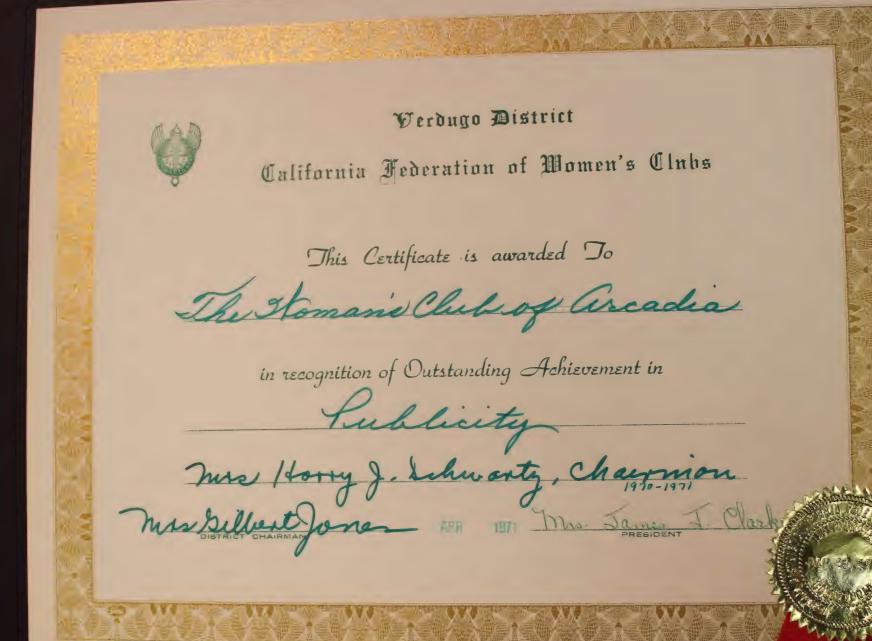
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CREATIVE WRITING CONTEST

WOMEN'S CLUB ENTRY

POETRY
16 lines

LOVE

Several men I've known and loved With virtues not a few Now, on sober introspection It narrows down to two. One is a brawny athlete Towering six feet tall, Counterpart of Atlas-Small wonder I should fall. The other is an older man, Less handsome it is true, But with an understanding heart He weaves love's magic too. I am in love with both of them, Yet I spoil the gossip's fun Because one is my husband The other is my son.

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Housewife's Lament

Those End-Of-The-Month Sales

Don't interest me any,

Though the bargains they offer

Save many a penny..

I never go near them-
The reason's not funny:

There's just too much month left

At the end of my money!

Age is an accomplishment
with permaps some limitations.
But "wisdom" comes with age we know
and a wise one takes it a little slow.

Because I am old I am not senile

and expect to be here quite a while

To enjoy the things I have learned to do,

Who knows- I may even try something new.

I know I will not learn how to ski
That wouldn't be wise at all for me.
I won't sit in the sun to get a tan,
I'll leave that to the younger clan.

But

I will learn to think before I speak
I will not criticise the weak
And no resentment will I bear
But understanding try to share.

A humble thought can come with age.

It does not cringe- it knows no rage.

It isn't weak- in fact it's strong.

An ageless thought, it can't be wrong.

MY MOTHER'S HANDS

My mother's hands were never still,

She smoothed our brows when we were ill,

Brought heated bricks for ache and chill;

Made thimble biscuits for a tea ..

Oh, cherished, vivid memory -
The doughnut holes she fried for me!

Soft, faithful hands.

Quick, skillful hands.

She pinked our flannel underskirts;
Salved our bumps and bound our hurts;
And made our favorite desserts.

Kind, willing hands.

Kept filled the large stone cookie crack, Starched and pressed each ruffled frock, Restored an almost hopeless sock;

Dear, clever hands.

Busy fingers, long and white,
Loving tasks from morn 'til night,
Knitting by a mellow light:

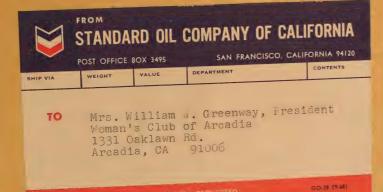
Untiring hands.

And where celestial families sing,
She smooths an angel's ruffled wing,
Or mends a harpist's broken string;
My Mother's hands could not be still.

God love her!

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INSTALLATION SERVICES

Based on GFWC Insignia

Based on Biblical Quotations

Candlelight

Initiation of New Members

GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS 1734 N Street, N. W. Washington, D. C. 20036 The 1966-67 season of the Woman's Club of Arcadia, under the leadership of Mrs. william w. Greenway, is fast drawing to a close but it will be long remembered for the vast accomplishments of its entire membership.

Because this is a Federated Club its many faceted program is one that originates at the General Federation Level which has its head-quarters in Washington D.C. Each Club is encouraged to pursue those programs of philanthropy and culture which best meet the needs of its own community as well as those in which the members have a special interest elsewhere in the world.

Each club is a part of a district which in turn makes up a State
Federated Woman's Club Organization. The Federated Clubs from each
state, together with those which have combined to form separate organizations in many foreign countries make up the General Federation of
Women's Clubs. Each District and State or Country holds its own annual convention each year. There is also an annual General Convention
which will be held right here in California this year at the San Francisco Hilton. The various clubs departments and individuals receive
recognition for their effort exerted during the preceding year. Awards
are given to them on a competitive basis.

This year Mrs. Douglas Schinke won, for the Woman's Club of Arcadia, a First Place Award for her report on Art Achievement at the California State Convention held at the El Cortez Hotel in San Diego. This award was a lovely oil painting by H. Bullen. Mrs. Schinke also won a First Place Award as Art Chairman at the Verdugo District Convention at the Statler Hilton in Los Angeles.

Among the many other awards received at the District Convention was a Federation Estension Trophy. This award is a result of the combined effort of all the members in the Woman's Club of Arcadia. It was given for extending the scope of endeavor in furthering the Federation goals, which in turn are designed to lend a helping hand and show our love for mankind everywhere. Mrs. Richard Næstler received a Federation Charm for her part in this effort. She also received a First Place Award as Federation Secretary and a Second place Award for her work as Dean of Chairmen.

Mrs. William Greenway won First Place Awards for her President's Reports, Procedure Books, Leadership Development, Scholarship and Safety Reports and a Second Place Award in Community Service as well as a District One Hundred Percent Attendance Pin.

2 minutes

President's Report, Verdugo District Convention, April 21, 1967

The Woman's Club of Arcadia has tried to show its love for mankind through Community Service.

We provided Cookie Boxes, Easter baskets, Christmas corsages, Cake and Ice Cream, flowers, dish gardens, musical programs, monthly magazines, and monthly tray favors to the various Convalescent Homes in our community and also invited single elderly men and we men, living alone to luncheon and a garden tour.

Demonstrated the adaption of everyday food for entertaining to young people. Provided a Baby Sitting Clinic for our Junior High school Students.

Organized an art contest in which all of our elementary schools participated, as well as our High School Students and Clubwomen.

Invited our Police Chief to speak on What Every Woman Shaould Know About Safety" and promoted the publishing of the contents of this talk in our local papers.

we are remodeling our clubhouse, which is used by many organizations and individuals in our community, so it will comply with the state fire safety standards.

Our members were acquainted with the "Freedom Share U.S. Savings Notes, as well as the value of Savings Bonds, as a personal investment in our Country's future.

we advised our members of the addresses of Fallout shelters so that they could help themselves and others in case of disaster.

We placed, "Lock Your Car" posters in arcadia Markets and Drug Stores and "Don't Be Careless, You Might Be Car Less" flyers in unlocked cars in the city.

All organizations represented at the Coordinating Council were asked to donate material which was made into apron dresses and blankets for children who are now in racific State hospital.

We held a "Meet the author Luncheon" to increase interest in literature our Community.

All members of the Clergy in Arcadia and their wives were invited to a Clery Day Luncheon and our Civic Leaders to a Civic pay Luncheon.

We donated money to the San Gabriel Valley Training Center, Thrift Shop, Heart Research, Retarded Children's Association, City of Hope, Armed Services and Veterans, Kidney Foundation, City Rose Float, LEAN and various Scholarships and Camperships for a total of over \$800.00.

One of our members even donated her husband; that is, she donated her husband; professional services for the beautification of the median strips of cur

mity atrects.

President: Mrs. William Greenway Editor: Mrs. Charles F. Ganther Mailing: Mrs. Carlton Eckermann

From the desk of the President:

As the year comes to a close, I would like to thank all of you for the honor of being your President for this past year.

It has been truly a rewarding year, especially because of the privilege of working with such an outstanding Board. It has never been my pleasure to work with a finer group of women. Each member was creative in her thinking and freely expressed her opinion. The end result was a harmonious composite of ideas emanating from intelligent and industrious clubwomen.

My grateful thanks go out to those dedicated women who prepared our delicious luncheons, also everyone who most generously contributed in so many ways to the financial needs of the club.

A thank you goes also to the women who expressed their opinions during our club meetings and those who so graciously accepted decisions made by the majority when it differed from their own preference. Opinions and ideas of many have led to our various past accomplishments.

Last, but perhaps most important from a personal viewpoint, I would like to thank those who so unselfishly accepted leadership, chairmanships and other offices or any other positions of responsibility when asked, and all those who so willingly helped them.

It has been a busy year but it was fun. Let us together take pride in our achievements. Again I say, "Thank you for a Happy Year."

Lu Greenway

At least thirty-five awards were received at our conventions this year through the combined efforts of our members. At the California State Convention the following awards were given to Arcadia recipients:

An oil painting for excellence in reporting on Visual Art: Mrs. Douglas Schinke

First Place Visual Art Award: Arcadia Elementary Student Second Place Visual Art Award: Arcadia High School Student

The following awards were received at Verdugo District Convention:

Second Place Award and \$75.00, Creative Expression, Instrumental Music; Linda Minkley

First Place and \$50.00, Visual Art: High School Senior, Jane Gunderson First Place and \$25.00, Visual Art: All High School Student, Chris Rose First Place and \$10.00, Visual Art: Junior High School Student, David Shaws

First Place and \$5.00, Visual Art: Elementary Student, Ann Harper All First Place awards (a clean sweep) went to Arcadia Students.

President's Trophy: Mrs. William W. Greenway

Visual Art Sweepstakes: Mrs. Douglas Schinke

Public Education Sweepstakes: Mrs. Ray Allen Young

American Heritage and Citizenship Sweepstakes: Mrs. Henrietta Loeffler

Library Services Sweepstakes: Mrs. Michael Erickson

First Place, President's Report: Mrs. William W. Greenway

First Place, Public Education: Mrs. Ray Allen Young

First Place, Visual Arts: Mrs. Douglas Schinke

First Place, International Policy and Projects: Mrs. Raymond Kennett

First Place, American Heritage and Citizenship: Mrs. Henrietta Loeffler

First Place, Care and United Nations: Mrs. Raymond Kennett

First Place, Library Services: Mrs. Michael Erickson

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CALIFORNIA STATE CONVENTION 1966

First I wish to thank all of you for sending me to the convention. I was very much inspired by the wealth of information that was passed on to everyone present.

Por one thing, when Wanda Raimey, nationally known reporter, and Codmother to Phylis Diller was introduced at the Television Lunchern and she told us that Phylis was atleast one woman who knew how to fix rice without it sticking together. To do this she says you should, boil-onegrain-at-a-time.

More seriously, she told us that while a reporter for the United Nations, the Australian boomerang was spoken of as an article that, when hurled into the air, came back, "more or less". When she consulted her dictionary she found there were two kinds, the large kind that was used for war that didn't come back and the smaller kind that was used for peaceful sporting events which came back. So the boomerang is an article that comes back, "more or less". This applied to our attitude toward peace. Ever since the Sputnik in 1961 we have concentrated on science in our schools but when a soviet probe fails we heave a sigh of relief. Perhaps we should be concentrating on a crash program in philosophy to create thinkers to bring about unity. Are we for peace or are we "more or less"?

She also told of the experts who are trying to find out what causes some people to commit crime. In their research they visited San Quenton!//Fred/the/answers/ben/Niven/editor//produced/the/followand asked questions. One of the questions was, "what is it like to be in San Quenton. From the answers, Dan Niven, editor, produced \$ the following:

When asked, "what is it like to be in San Quenton," what do you say? It's like describing black to the blind or the color of thunder; The time of day or a letter. the property of the last the last

A pier, long and shallow with sea beneath that you can't see, but you sense the water. The last to any found throw and acced by the co

The silent echoes of mistaken misfortunes.

Awind battered Railroad station, where you sit alone waiting for a train. There is the dust of years and cob webs but the train never comes. The rails are rusted and bent.

The wind blows out to sea but where is it going?

I SEE YOU WERE IN THE NEWS...



AREA CLUBWOMEN AT CONVENTION

ere, from left, Mmes. Orvil Allen, president of the coordinator for Arcadia Club. ederated Evening Club of Monrovia; Gilbert Jones,

ttending the convention of Verdugo District, California district press chairman; William Greenway, president ederation of Women's Club at the Pasadena Hilton Arcadia Woman's Club; and E.G. Frank, Federation

I ALWAYS LIKE TO HEAR ABOUT MY FRIENDS



SUCCESSFUL COFFEE—Members, friends and guests of the defendence of the resent which began the activities of the fall season; Mrs. William Greenway, president, Mrs. Robert Smiley was chairman of the event which began the activities of the fall season; Mrs. William Greenway, president, Mrs. Edna Marvie Anderson and Mrs. Roy K. Haug, new members, ore being served by Mrs. Charles Ganther a past president

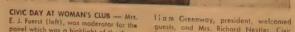
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Woman's Club to Open Fall Season Wednesday



MRS. JESSE BALSER





New Board Elected By Woman's Club

man's Club of Arcada cets and helped rate the funda-a others at last week's for the micro film for the Arcada with Mis, Jesse Balser Public Library and time Rung at stage with arts. Jesse Balser Public Library and the Rong art stage and the board as president, Wilderness Park, both projects of ours are Munes. Harry Lauber, the Woman's Club.

So one president: Richard Nestwood Vice president: William cilman Balser and they have a support of the project of the stage of the stag

way, third vice president; daughter, Linda. Luncheon

arts Neiberg leurth vice press arts Neiberg leurth vice press arts Artison Carr, recording see: Mrs. Michael Erickson press-ary Lailon Fekerann, orres dent, welcomed members and antime secretary. Herbert Glid-guests at the luncheon honoring ederation secretary; J. Wal- in particular the Arts and Crafts

cli. senior trustee, and Joe Earll John Loeffler, chairman; Desjunnor trustee, and Joe Earll John Loeffler, chairman; Desjunnor trustee, and Joe Earll John Loeffler, chairman; Desmond Swager, vice chairman; John LeNoir, treasurer; and other of the department.
Mrs. William Derry, Junior and William Derry, Junior and Swager vice chairman; John LeNoir, treasurer; and other of the department.
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president, at the Meet the Author Lunch-

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PAST PRESIDENTS.—The Arcadia Woman's Club honoring its past presidents at the traditional luncheon. Those attending, from left: Mmes. Daniel J. Slattery, Alby R. Foy, Harry Lauber, Bruce McAbery, Charles

Stewart, William Greenway, current president who is also a 'past'; Charles Ganther, Michael Erickson, Ray Allen Young, Harry Russell and

Club Bridge Winners Told At Luncheon

ARCADIA — The foyer of the Arcadia Woman's Club was decorated with spring flowers, roses and magnolia blossums for the final mara-

thon chairman, Mrs. Fuerst revealed that the winners were Mrs. Della Cox and her daughter, Mrs. Leonard Car-twright in Section I, and Mrs. William Greenway and Mrs.
Curt Krieser in Section II.

A fun-filled afternoon followed with party bridge and

many traveling prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Genuit hosted the evening section with a barbecued steak din-ner. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Parnham were awarded their

Those wishing to play in the marathon next year are



a gift exchange was one of the highlights of the Arcadia Woman's Club christmas meeting. Exchanging packages during the festive gathering were, from left, Mme William Orr, Ray Allen Young, William Greeway, president an Ldward Frank, Entertainment was provided y the Madrigal singer afrom Pascoppa City College.



Club honors past presidents



Lauber, Second row, from left are Mmes. Bruce G. McAbery, and Ray Allen Young. Third row, from left are Mmes. Gilbort Starkenburg, Michael Series .

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Lauber and Glibert R. remarks with a personal code of Must be accounted for to one Mortimer, a representative onceding held at the clubhouse,

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Mrs. William W. Greenway. resident, welcomed the guests, vho were seated at the head ables - Mmes. Charles W. Stewart, Harry W. Russell, Ray Allen Young, Charles F. anther, Bruce G. McAbery, lichael Erickson, Harry R.

three years ago.

Mrs. Henrietta K. Loeffler American Heritage and patriotic tribute and led the membership in the pledge of allegiance to the Flag of our

The Inspirational was given in meaniel J. Slattery, Alby R. Foy, by Mrs. Harry W. Russell, past

member of the group, as she permission, we pass along the served the club as president code of ethics — "I'm going to Mrs. Loeffler for the beautiful humorous subject — "Son"

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try to live each day, each hour table decorations. Mrs. Anyta Misconceptions About th Doyle for the corsages which English". Mortimer explaine With all the force and all the she prepared for each oving power distinguished guest, and Mrs. Which the Creator gives me to Edward G. Frank, chairman of the Ways and Means Comply to the Creator gives me to the Ways and Means Comply to the Ways Comply to the Ways and Means Comply to the Ways Comply to t



Past presidents of the Arcadia Woman's Club were honored at the January 6 meeting. Among those feted were front row from left, Mmes. Charles Ganther, Charles Stewart, William Greenway and Harry

Lauber. Second row, from left are Mmes. Bruce G. McAbery, and Ray Allen Young. Third row, from left are Mmes. Gilbe Starkenburg, Michael

Mrs. Bradford Tells Club Women About 'South of Border' Cultures!

haps it will give us a better and glittering reign.

about 500 A.D. and a very Picture Yucatan as a great high culture was attained be- tan slab of sandstone coverfore ît began to break up from ing a chain of invisible lakes. within. And today I'm going to Sisal, or commonly called

contrasts and great beauty in string, baskets and many Mexico. The snow capped mountains, the mile-high fibre. The sacred cenotes. magnificence of Mexico City, where human sacrifices were pyramids. The latter are far through. A few miles from more beautiful than those in Merida there are villages Egypt. These were originally where the people and their covered with brilliant mosa- mode of living has changed ics and many basreliefs of very little through many censnakes, birds and animals.

(Editor's Note-Mrs. Caryl avenue of Mexico City leads language and cling tenacious-

understanding of our nearest On the other end of the Aveand Guatemala. Most of Azicc Pyramids where his these people are bilingual man sacrifices were the orand if we could speak freely der of the day and near by with them it would enrich us the Gran Maracado over-Their history goes back to els, skins and flowers.

> only plant that will grow in this thin starved soil. Rope, things are made of this tough

Bradford, who has traveled up to Chapultepec (grass ly to old traditions. Witch floor, hand grafted furniture widely in Mexico, gave the hopper) Hill where the lovely doctors still perform cures following talk to members of palace was built. These with leaves and herbs, take the Women's Club of Arca- rooms contain many histori- part in weddings, funerals dia. This is the first of two cal murals, paintings and are and act as high priest. unusual, colorful and amaztifacts, including the por- Their ancestors built the awe- ing market place in all the This is going to be an ad- traits of Maximilian and Car- some Chichen Itza temples, venture into the past. Per- lotta, who enjoyed a brief sophisticated ovservatories neighbors, Mexico, Yucatan nue the great cathedral was covered by vines and bright

a college graduate and a Santa Tomas Church, built in most interesting person. We 1540 by the Dominican Order, saw many local sights and reared high in the air like a then drove to Lake Attitlan. huge white bird hovering This lovely lake is surround- over its colorful chicks. Pretake you to the source, the century plants, march in or ed by high mountains, many Hispanic pagan rites came dered rows as far as one can of which contain active volvery beginning of the amazing see. This seems to be the canos and at night put on a the men swung the pungent thrilling show. Between the copal incense burners to and mountains are native villages fro while murmuring continuthat are quite unique. Each ous incantations in strange has its own mayor, customs, and mysterious tongues. Inreligion, dress and produce. In one village all wore skirts, the gauchos, the flower- often made, are where the men, women and children, and only their hats designated which burned a myriad of their status in the communi- candles. It was as though all

All of these things we were to see when we stayed at the Mayan Inn at Chichicastenango. The Inn had been a pri-The wide tree-lined main They still speak the Mayan vate home and each room

cians played at sundown.

square the intensely beautiful alive on the terraced steps as side the huge cavernous room was empty except for ten-foot squares of sand in the stars had fallen from the smoke-blackened vaulted ceiling far above.

Here the women were humming in soft melodious voices the same mysterious incantapetals. Each color asked a special favor. White for peace, yellow for health, red for good crops, pink for happy market day, and if the desired color could not be ob-

At the far end was the traditional Catholic altar. It was hanked with flowers and candles and on either side stood white-robed nun. On the marked off square with a single flame burning in the cenwitch doctor in all his i



Woman's Club board installed



News-Post Photo

Mrs. William W. Greenway was installed as president of the Arcadia Woman's Club June 3. This was a repeat performance as she served as president 1966-67, a year during which the Arcadia club garnered 39 district and state awards.

Mrs. Gilbert Starkenburg conducted the business meeting, briefly telling of her trip to state convention. The Arcadia Club received two state first prizes and two sweepstakes, Art and Pennies for Art with Mrs. Douglas Schinke as chairman and Press and Publicity which was a joint effort of the club sections and two local papers. Mrs. Schinke was given the painting garnered as sweepstakes.

Presentation of the president's book was made by Mrs. Robert H. Lane and installation ceremonies were

conducted by Mrs. Ernest Fuerst.

In keeping with the "Happiness, Harmony and Helpfulness" theme of the incoming president Mrs. Fuerst installed the officers in an inspiring candlelight ceremony which she commented was a symbol of achievement which indicate welcome and rejoicing. Commencing with Mrs. Starkenburg lighting the inspiration candle, each new officer lit her candle from the inspiration candle and the color denoted the duties particular to her office.

A second silver inspiration candle was lit by president Greenway after her board completed the ritual. Other officers include Mmes. Oscar M. Chagnon, first vice president; Harold Shepherd, second vice president; William C. Parquette Sr., third vice president; Edward G. Frank, fourth vice president; Harry G. Walker, recording secretary; C. A. Simms, corresponding secretary; Charles F. Ganther, federation secretary; Dwight E. Jones, treasurer; John A. Richardson, senior trustee; Victor Eichburg, junior trustee; Harry J. Schwarz, parliamentarian and William C. Winchester, junior coordinator.

Mrs. Greenway thanked the club for bestowing her with the honor of serving again. "It is always a great honor to be president of the Arcadia Woman's Club," she stated, "and on behalf of the organization I present this past president's charm to Mrs. Starkenburg for her dedicated services and outstanding ability." She presented a Federation Woman's Club charm to Mrs. Fuerst as a token of appreciation.

Mrs. Starkenburg was elected to serve in the Club Properties Committee and Mrs. Bruce McAbery will serve as member at large on the same committee.

A delightful tea planned by the capable Mrs. Jack Mallon followed the ceremony. Shades of pink enhanced the beautiful tea table center piece donated by Hortense. The softly draped cloth was designed and fabricated by Mrs. Harlan Lindell, former member. Mrs. Arthur Goodrich donated two cakes elegantly decorated in pink and white with the inscriptions appropriate to the incoming and outgoing presidents.

Mrs. Anyta Doyle provided pink cymbidium corsages for the new officers and Mrs. Edward Verhoef completed the floral arrangements in the fover.

Among those assisting Mrs. Mallon were Mmes. Lawrence Fry, Jones and Doyle, tea cookies; Doyle and King La Roque and George Blanchard, door committee; James Goodwin, hospitality and Fuerst and William S. Orr, past presidents who poured. Others assisting were Mmes. Simms, Lane, Jones, Verhoef, Lois Merton, Schwarz, Blanchard and Paul Bender.



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Year noted

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spoke of her many activities on
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presented the Notification of
Award by Mrs. Greenway,
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Student winners at Verdugo

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The Arcadia Club's "Make a Dollar Grow" project was stakes. To date the endeavor has almost reached the \$1,000 mark. Many novel ideas were used by members to "make their dollars grow." Club support was deemed the basis for the success of the project

Announcement was made that during the year the Arcadia Woman's Club donated \$1,054 including contributions, donations and awards for philanthropy, culture, children and youth

Included in the amount were special medallions to be presented to two students from each of the three junior high schools, who, in the opinion of the faculty, have shown most improvement during the year.

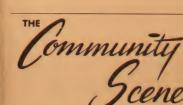
club has aided the community include the use of the auditorium, rent free, to the First Avenue Junior High School, five days per week, during the school term, to hold a drama class for 40 girls and a special rental rate given the Relations After completing a busy year as president of the Arcadia Human Woman's Club Mrs. Greenway will find time to share the Resources Agency to assist them with a project



GUESTS ATTEND LUNCHEON

Among the many "Make Your Dollar Grow" endeavors was a luncheon held at San Gabriel Country Club. Mrs. William Greenway, left, was hostess and among the guests were Mmes. Lois Merton, Fred Morgan and Henrietta Loeffler, from left. Project garnered state

Thursday, May 27, 1971 Elinor Bishop, Editor A-13 A Marilyn Morrison, Arcadia Editor





Woman's Club Hosts Reciprocity Luncheon

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ARCADIA

People

CATHERINE MUNDY, Edite



Woman's Club President Is 'Sports' Enthusiast

that the club will add to that fine record."

Mrs. Greenway is filled with enthusiasm for the year ahead and she has nothing but praise for her competent board and the interested membership.

She points with pride to her first term as president when the club won the Federation Trophy of the Verdugo-Metropolitan, which is given for outstanding work for federation. There were about 35

receive working on district projects in various fields.

The Art and Pennies for Art (Visual Art) department was organized during that year, and it not only took a state prize for first place but has every year since. Another outstanding department that was stated was Meet the Authors luncheon, which also has become most successful.

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Reciprocity Day at the Arcadia Women's Club was shared by, from left, Mrs. William Greenway, president: Leslie Marine, special guest speaker; and Mmes. De Forest Cutler, first vice president of Verdugo District, Alby Foy, district Home and Environment chairman and James Clark, seated.

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Woman.s Club Wins Many Awards at 2 Conventions







ServiceClubs-- HIllcrest 6-0111 Indispensible Or Irrelevant? Thirty-Two Pages

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Though officers usually did

deny the charge that club ac-

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that clubs are dominated by older men, and some of them

mentioned projects such as

tree plantings, most club ac-

tivities mentioned seemed to be of the traditional variety.

Sponsoring Little League

teams, scholarships, paper

drives and the display of

flags on holidays by the Le-

gion were typical of the pro-

jects named by club officials

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What about the ladies?

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If there is anything as er of American Legion Post American as apple pie and 247, when asked how his hot dogs, it's service clubs, group involves itself in pro-Rotary, Kiwanis and Lions jects considered relevant by are as indespensable a fea- today's young people, anture of Middle America as swered, "I personally have picture windows and lawn attended some ecology meetings," and he added that the

But are they? Are service Sons of the American Legion clubs here to stay, rocks of have been conducting paper Gibraltar amongst all the up- drives for years. heavals of the modern world? There have been indications of new to us," Sparks said. the decline, some say the imminent demise, of service clubs. One of the charges against them: they're irrele-

Well, are service clubs becoming as passe as Grandpa's railroad watch or

And what about fraternal groups? The Elks, Masons and patriotic groups like the American Legion - is one no longer ostracized in Koekuk if he doesn't belong? Have they lost their appeal to the type of young people who would ordinarily join such a

The Tribune surveyed several service clubs and other organizations, at the local, district and state levels to not 66 and I'm not 59." find out if this picture of "knife and fork clubs." whose membership has been declining and whose activi- other clubs," "invariably he ties seem more and more to will get shot down," because, consist of eating and listen- older members say, "We ing to speakers, is true.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28, 1971

Preliminary Budget Sees 17-Cent Increase

School Tax Hike Coming?



NUMBER ONE-Famed jockey Bill Shoe maker, center, "the winningest jockey of all time," was honored at Santa Anita Race Track recently with a bronze bust of his likeness placed permanently in the

Paddock area at Santa Anita. Partici pating with him in the unveiling ceremony were Robert Strub, president of Santa Anita, and Mrs. Shoemaker.

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Arcadia Woman's Club Officers Are Installed at Traditional Tea

Arcadia Tribune

Catherine Mundy. WOMEN



Mrs. Archie Wilson Heads Club Group



Bradoaks slates

speaker on drugs

Bradoaks School PTA will meet at 7:30 p.m. tonight in the cafetorium. Mrs. Walter Fowlkes, president, will

"PTA Provides the Action Against Drugs" will be the topic for guest speaker, Clifford Goff. A question and answer period will follow.



Elinor Bishop, Editor Tuesday, Jan. 12, 1971 — 5 A Marilyn Morrison, Arcadia Editor

The Women's Division of the Arcadia Chamber of Commerce will meet at noon Jan. 18 at the Embers Restaurant, Arcadia. Members are reminded of the early bird luncheon drawing. Mrs. Iris Pinkston will conduct the meeting which will include election of officers and committee reports.

Special program feature will be a talk by the "Hostess with the Mostess" Alyce Jones, Arcadia's City Hostess.

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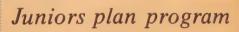
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The Arcadia Junior Woman's Club invites members of the community to attend a special program on drug problems to be presented by Captain Mitchell of the Arcadia Police Department. The program is planned at 8 p.m. tomorrow in the Arcadia Woman's Club, 324 First Ave., Arcadia.

Mrs. Chalya Cabrinha, program chairman, reports



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SEN. H. L. RICHARDSON

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MORE TIME FOR FAMILY HOBBY
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Community



PRESIDENT PRESENTS SCHOLARSHIP
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Warren Bommke looks on with pride.





Arcadia Juniors Install Officers



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LETTERS FROM READERS Woman's Club

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Editor, News-Post:
While we were flattered with the amount of publicity we received and its being given a place of importance in various newspapers, we were surprised at its content.
To set the record straight, one of our members; namely, Mrs. Harold Shepherd, vice president, with the approval of our Board of Directors, made an exploratory inquiry to our mayor, Edward Butterworth, regarding the city's possible use of our property. He showed interest and asked Mrs. Shepherd to see Lyman Cozad, city manager, and Robert Ogle, city attorney, and made the appointments for her to do so. It was suggested by the city manager's office that Mrs. Shepherd see the director of recreation, Charles Greenstreet, who requested that a letter be written outlining the initial proposal.
The letter was written and Mrs. Shepherd was notified that Council would consider this matter on Tuesday evening, March 16. The only negative remark heard at this meeting came from Councilman Arth, who apparently felt that this might lead to other organizations in the city offering their facilities for civic use.

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It has been brought to our attention repeatedly that the city needs a teen center, and we have observed the need for a central location for various dance and bridge classes, as well as classes in art, music, etc., along with a dependable center where these interests could be pursued.

The only taxpayer money required for the use of this property would be for the maintaining of the property, an expense that could be offset with maintaining part or all of the present rental arrangements, and yet leave time for the above mentioned activities. The purchase price and interest would be amortized through rental of the property to the Woman's Club for specified days of each month. The letter clearly stated that it was a summary of the thoughts and ideas of Mrs. Shepherd, and that details would be subject to negotiation and all

public works, states in his report to the city manager that the property is, "in very good condition". We feel that with more responsible, although less sensational, reporting that this information, which had been given to the reporters, would have taken precedent over the mere opinion of Charles Reiman, finance director.

It is definitely not true that The Woman's Club of Arcadia is destitute. Our assets have been conservatively estimated at over \$65,000. We are cheerfully and industriously meeting our budget of over \$10,000 for the current year.

There has been a decrease of only eleven paid memberships this club year; two by death and two through the awarding of complimentary memberships to past presidents who have moved from the city. Because our organization has been active for almost sixty years we feel that retirement of seven women, most of which resulted from moving from this area, is no shocking loss of membership.

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The Woman's Club of Arcadia

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DAVID G. HOLMES

Monday, March 29, 1971

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Woman's club faces problem

ARCADIA - Plagued with dropping membership, increasing taxes and insurance rates, the Woman's Club of Arcadia appears to be in serious trouble, according to a letter to city councilmen requesting the city buy the propery for city

The Board of Directors of the organization "feels that with a decreasing membership from more than 300 some years ago to the present membership of 100: with increasing taxes, insurance rates and other expenses, continued operation of the premises by the Woman's Club is no longer economically sound," said Jane R. Shepherd, second vice president of the

In an effort to preserve the Woman's Club intact, the city was asked to, in effect, purchase the property and allow the club to meet a minimum of five days per month in it. The suggestion met with a cold response from city officials who could not find justification for the expense of maintaining the property.

The council hates to see the club go, but is not in a position to take it over, according to Mayor Edward L. Butterworth who acknowledged the work the group has done since its founding in 1914.

Starting with only 15 members in 1914, the group opened the first lending library for the city, established the Arcadia Historical Society, the Junior Symphony and the Arcadia Beautiful Commission. They have been a charter organization since 1930, when their current property on south First Avenue was built.

The preliminary offer to the city by the club would, for "a fair price" and interest rate, sell the clubhouse and certain contents to the city with the club holding a trust deed to the property and taking a monthly rent back on an offsetting basis for their five day operations.

Under current operation, the clubhouse now brings in approximately \$6,000 a year through rentals Mrs. Shepherd said. There is a balance on the bank loan of approximately \$2,520 which would have to be picked up by the city, and is presently being paid at the rate of \$95 per month. according to Mrs. Shepherd.

City officials gave their negative reaction to the proposal largely on the basis of reports from city department

According to Charles N. Greenstreet. director of recreation, the transaction would set a precedent with other local groups who own their own property, would require sizable maintenance expense for the city, no street parking is available and the action would jeopardize the construction of the proposed multi-purpose community center and the passage of a bond to finance it with.

Finance Department Director Charles Reiman gave a negative nod on the basis of the age of the building.

"The structure was built in 1931 and most buildings this old and type of construction would collapse if the termites stopped holding hands." he said.

With the council leaving the next move up to the members of the Woman's Club, the matter remained suspended. However, one club member, Mrs. Ernest J. Fuerst, past president wondered if letting a dying body go would not be the best thing.

"Unfortunately, this situation is not a problem just for Arcadia, it is happening to woman's groups all over the country she said. "It just seems to be a sign of the

In her opinion, the group had served its purpose and, in effect, now amounted, for many women, to little more than a modern way-station for passing into bridge groups within the community.

"It most certainly is a status organization and don't you think it isn't," she said. "Other groups such as the Assistance League will be taking its place. In a way, though, I think something better will come out of it."

LETTERS FROM READERS

Woman's Club property use

Editor, News-Post:

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Among his observations Dr. Frempter pointed out that while he was president of the board he worked well within the budget, and feels that he has proven experience in exercising prudence in the expenditure of school

Other coffees planned for Dr. Frempter include Mr. and Mrs. Robert Considine, 329 W. Naomi, Wednesday, March 31, 10 a.m.; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mosbach, 1709 Orangewood Lane, Tuesday March 30, 8 p.m.; Mr. and Mrs. Tad Fessenden. 1100 W. Orange Grove, Thursday, April 8, 8 p.m.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Raming, 537 Fairview Monday, April 5, 8 p.m.; Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Silva, 348 Las Flores, Tuesday, April 6, 8 p.m.; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Maupin, 414 Cambridge Drive, Wednesday, April 14, 10 a.m.; Dr. and Mrs. Robert Pink, 858 Monte Verde, Wednesday, April 14, 8:30 p.m.; Mr. and Mrs. Reb-Spencer, 1134 Panorama Drive, Thursday, April 15, 8 p.m.; and Mr. and Mrs. Don-ley Brady, 1751 Rodeo Road. Sunday, April 18, 3:00 p.m.

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MILLS COFFEE CHAIRMEN-Working for the re-election of Dr. Gary Mills to the Arcadia School Board, coffee chairmen met recently to plan gatherings where Dr. Mills will be introduced. Coffee chairmen are, from left, Mrs. Emil Ritter, Mrs. George Cassat, Mrs. Sidney Larkin, Mrs. Robert Liittschwager, and Mrs. Herb Daniel. (Not shown is Mrs. Donald McAdam.) Dr. Mills welcomes the opportunity an election campaign affords for indepth communication between candidates and the community. Persons desiring to attend a coffee for Dr. Mills, school board president, are requested to call one of the

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A PLAY TAKES SHAPE—The Arcadia Community Theatre's production of "Cactus Flower" set for late April and early May is taking form. Shown above are local thespians reading for the parts, top photo, Lee Cirni and Tina Kromka, and bottom view, Ruth Martin and

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The Woman's Club of Arcadia

ARCADIA, CALIFORNIA 91006

March 23, 1971

Daily News-Post 119 W. Palm Avenue Monrovia, California

Dear Editor:

Please publish the inclosed material at the earliest possible time as the material already published is causing great amount of great misunderstanding within sur leading to problems within our club.

Yours truly.

Mrs. William W. Greenway

CITY OF ARCADIA

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CITY COUNCIL MEETS - FIRST AND THIRD TUESDAYS - 7:30 P.M.

COUNCIL AGENDA

March 16, 1971

Invocation

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: Councilmen Arth, Considine, Hage, Helms and Butterworth

Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of March 2, 1971

- 1. PUBLIC Conditional use permit to continue a riding academy and residence at HEARING (Cont.) 11721 East Clark Street.
- 2. PUBLIC Appeal from the Planning Commission decision denying a lot split HEARING (Cont.) at 1902 South Sixth Avenue.
- 3. PUBLIC Application for a business permit to sell used merchandise at HEARING 42 East Foothill Boulevard.
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February 5, 1971

The Rt. Hon. Edward L. Butterworth, Mayor Members of the City Council of Arcadia Arcadia City Hall Arcadia, CA 91006

Gentlemen:

Re: Woman's Club of Arcadia

This letter will summarize the thoughts and ideas approved by the Board of the Woman's Club of Arcadia concerning an offer to sell the Clubhouse and property at 324 So. First Avenue to the City of Arcadia.

The idea behind the offer would be to perpetuate the Club-house as a meeting place for the members.

All the details of the proposal would be subject to negotiation between the City and the Board of the Woman's Club with final arrangements subject to the vote of the Club membership.

This preliminary offer to the City of Arcadia would be that in exchange for a fair price and interest rate, to be agreed upon, the Clubhouse and certain contents therein would be sold to the City with the Woman's Club holding a Trust Deed to the property and taking a monthly rent back on an offsetting basis (amount of rent to be determined by sale prive) from the City for a minimum of five specified days a month.

At no point in the transaction is any money to change hands. The amount of the rent would be amortized over a period of years and offset the payment by the City for the property.

The Clubhouse would become City property, with the City fully free to use the premises as it wished subject to the minimum of five days a month reserved for the Woman's Club members.

Under our present operation, the Clubhouse brings in approximately \$6000.00 a year through rentals. There is a balance on the bank loan of approximately \$2520.20 which would have to be picked up by the City. It is presently being paid at the rate of \$95.00 a month.

There is no other indebtedness on the property.

The Board feels that with a decreasing membership from over 300 some years ago to the present figure of 129; with increasing taxes, insurance rates and other expenses, continued operation of the premises by the Woman's Club is no longer economically sound.

March 12, 1971

Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council Arcadia, California

Re: Proposal for City to purchase Women's Club property

Gentlemen:

We attach again the letter from the Women's Club concerning the sale of their Clubhouse at 324 South First Avenue to the City.

I am also attaching reports on this proposal from the three department heads most immediately concerned.

The Council will recall that the parking lot on the south side of Diamond is not included in this proposal. Therefore, the property is without parking.

Summarizing the staff recommendations, we suggest that the City not purchase the property because of its limited usefulness and the continuing expenses which its purchase would place on the taxpayers.

Respectfully submitted,

LYMAN H. COZAL

City Manager

LHC: jh Attachments

